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Recent years have brought an enormous growth in the use of violets, and this has been to the great advantage of parts of Dutchess county. New York, where the soil is proving especially adapted to the growing of violets. In the vicinity of Red Hook and Rhinebeck more than 125 violet houses are operated, and dozens more are being built.

What the Strong Man Is Not. The strong man is not the soldier on horseback with saber drawn. The strong man is the man with folded arms who utters the truth regardless of consequences. No one can injure them? a man who refuses to be hurt; you may kill him, but you cannot touch the man in him. He wields a power that he would have to give up if he stooped to physical force.

Ministers Barred.

The constitution of Tennessee provides that whereas ministers of the gospel are by their profession dedicated to God and the care of souls, and ought not to be diverted from the great duties of their functions, therefore no minister of the gospel or priest of any denomination whatever, you will undoubtedly make a poor shall be eligible to a seat in either houses of the legislature.

What Was It?

Friarpoint, Miss., Aug. 3rd.-One of the strangest cases ever reported occurred here recently. The son of Mr. G. L. Butler was very ill. The doctor said he had some disease of the spinal cord, and treated him for two months, but he grew worse all the time, and finally the doctor told Mr. Butler that he did not know what was the trouble.

The boy would wake up in the night and say that he was dying. He would be nervous and trembling and want to run out of the house, saying he saw ugly things which frightened him.

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Says: "I feel it my duty to tell what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for my boy. All this remedy needs is a fair chance and it will speak for itself."

Home of Fine Laces.

Some of the finest laces being used this season come from Idria, a small mountain town in Italy with about 6,000 inhabitants. It has been for some centuries the usual house industry of the women, who formerly worked from old Croatian patterns and Slav designs.

New Arms for Soldlers.

Within three 'years the United States army and militia will be armed with the new Springfield magazine rifle. The hundreds of thouands of krag-jorgensen guns on hand will eventually have to be broken up as valueless.

Unique Decision.

A Maryland justice of the peace in deciding an action against a railroad company for killing a cow near a road crossing, decided the case in favor of the plaintiff for the reason that "the defendant had no sign up at the crossing."

Would Be Waste of Time.

Miss Goode-You should try to break yourself of the habit of swearing, my little man, Jimmy-Wot! After all de trouble I've gone to to learn it?-Puck.

Utilize Leather Waste. Leather waste is no longer wasted Manufacturers use it in a compressed form, instead of frou, to make cog-

wheels. Women Now Wear Monocles. Wearing monocles, the latest fashion for ladles, a craze recently started in Paris by ladies of the Servian col

CHANGE

Quit Coffee and Get Well.

ony, is extending to London.

A woman's coffee experience is interesting. "For two weeks at a time I have taken no food but skim milk, for solid food would ferment and cause such a pressure of gas and such distress that I could hardly breathe at times, also excructating pain and heart palpitation and all the time I was so nervous and restless.

"From chilhood up I had been coffee and tea drinker and for the past 20 years I have been trying different physicians but could get only temporary relief. Then I read an article telling how some one had been cured by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum, and it seemed so pleasant just to read about good health I de-

cided to try Postum in place of coffee. "I made the change from coffee to Postum and such a change there is in me that I don't feel like the same person. We all found Postum delicious health now is wonderfully good.

"As soon as I made the shift from coffee to Postum I got better and now ail of my troubles are gone. I am fleshy, my food assimilates, the pressure in the chest and palpitation are all gone, my bowels are regular, have your father?" no more stomach trouble and my headaches are gone. Remember I did the sweet young thing, who had just not use medicines at all-just left off accepted him. "He told me to-day coffee and drank Postum steadily." that if you didn't speak to me to night Name given by Postum Co., Battle he'd speak to you to-morrow." Creek, Mich.

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OF THE DAY

Just in Hard Luck. Irate Guest (to waiter)-Look here, didn't I order a Swiss cheese sand

Polite Waiter-Yes, sir, and there it

Irate Guest-There's two slices of bread, but can you find any cheese on Polite Waiter-I'm sorry, sir, the cheese is there all right, only-you

happened to hit on one of the holes. Getting Back at Her.

"No, Mr. Wooster," said the frigid maid with the imported complexion. "It can never be. I'm satisfied I would not make a good wife for a poor man."

"I guess that's the unadulterated truth," rejoined the young man who had been given the dizzy whirl, "but wife for some good man."



Wife-Drunk again, last night? Husband (sulkily)-That's my bust-

Wife-So It seems.

Pay Day in Sight. last week and he declares she is all and numerons losses have been rethe world to him. Giles-So he's getting ready to col-

lect the debt, eh? Miles-What debt? Giles-Wny, the one his wife owes him. I heard him say one time that

the world owed him a living. i imely Warning to Noah. "Nonh," exclaimed the grand old

sailor's wife, "what are you slapping

At ?" "Confound that mosquito," he apswered. "I'll smash it yet, you see if I don't."

"Henry W. Noah, what do you mean? Have you forgotten that we have only two mosquitos in the ark?"

Wants and Wishes.

"There's a strange man at the door, oir," announced the new servant from Boston.

"What does he want," asked the master of the house, impatiently. the servant, a shade of disapproval mild. manifest in his voice. "he wants a bath, but what he is asking for is something to eat."

Modern Precaution. Adam would have never eaten that apple in these days."

"Why not?" "Well, his physician would have told him to remove the skin to avoid

indigestion and to remove the seeds to avoid appendicitis. By the time he did all this he would have thought better of the matter and not eaten the apple at all."



Briggs-Has your cook been with sou long? Driggs-With us? Good heavens

from the first. Sallie and Willie.

no!

"I notice, Willie, that berries are becoming pretty pientiful upon the home grown industries.

She's been against us almost

market. "Yes, Sallie, and they will remain more plentiful upon the market thas and like it better than coffee. My upon our table until the price gets smaller and the boxes get larger."-Roller Monthly.

It Was All Right.

"And now, my dear," said the de lighted youth, "when may I speak to

'You don't have to, George," replies

"In vino veritas" means that the \$7,500 cooks contest for 785 money truth is liable to leak out of even as exceedingly tight man .- Puck.

Prospects of Longevity.

Out of every 1,000,000 persons who for seventy years, 107,000 for eighty years, and 8,841 for ninety years. Two hundred and forty-five persons out of every 1,000,000 live for ninety-seven years; 119 for ninety-eight, fifty-four for ninety-nine, twenty-three for 100, mine for 101, three for 102, and one for 103 years.

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A New York architect, who has put up many country houses, says that he has not during the last decade been called on once to put a lightning rod on any of these houses. The light-ning rod has disappeared altogether as a means of protection on new

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The latest robbery scheme in New York is to run along the side of open cars as they slow down and snatch chatclaine bags or pocketbooks from women passengers. A gang of thieves Miles-Shortun married an heiress has been doing this for several days ported to the police. The robbers have little difficulty in getting away before the cars are stopped.

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Prince's Odd Belief.

Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria is pos sessed by a curious belief, or superstition. He has the famous horse ridden by Prince Alexander of Bulgaria at the battle of Silvnitza, and he is convinced that so long as he treats the animal well he will never lose his position in the principality.

Russian Wheat In Good Shape. Consul General W. R. Holloway writes from St. Petersburg, May 15 1903, that, according to data complied by the Ministry of Agriculture, the outlook for wheat in European Russia is satisfactory. Winter wheat is fair, especially in the southern prov-"Begging your pardon, sir," replied inces. The spring has been unusually

Singular,

By nature's happy arrangements, cloudbursts do not usually occur at points where rivers have already overfowed .- Providence (R. 1.) Journal.



Health and beauty are the glories of perfect womanhood. Women who suffer constantly with weakness peculiar to their sex cannot retain their beauty. Preservation of pretty features and rounded form is

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When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruction, weakness, leucorrhoa, displacement or une ration of the womb, that bearing down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizzness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melan-choly, "all gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound temoves such troubles.

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advice. Within six weeks I was a different woman, strong and robust in health, and have been so ever since,
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troubled with ailments peculiar to our sex have taken your compound, and have also been greatly benefited." — Miss ELIZABETH DALEY, 270 Loomis St., Chicago, Ill. President of the St. Ruth's Court, Order of For-

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